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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

The smaller providers in my area are much less expensive than the large ones. Broadband is critical to my small business.

We need a competitive environment in order to keep costs down.

The small providers also support the local economy in a way. That the larger ones do much less of.

Thank you for your attention

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